

JUVENILE JUSTICE ADVISORY COUNCIL

"To advocate for an effective, fair and equitable justice system for every lowa youth."

AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING

Polk County River Place 2309 Euclid Avenue, Conf. Room 1A Des Moines, IA 50310

Thursday, June 4, 2015 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

- I. Call to Order Joel Illian
 - Changes and Approval of Agenda Action
- II. Approve Minutes Joel Illian Action
- III. Division Update/National Update Steve Michael
- IV. Council Budget Report Scott Musel
- V. Three-Year Plan Priorities and Goals Approval PnP Committee Action
- VI. Formula Grant Funds Budget PnP Committee Action
- VII. lowa Code 279.68 (3rd Grade Retention) Carl Smith
- VIII. Current Activities

A. Priority One: Evidence-Based Practices

- Goal 1: Increase the saturation of evidence-based practices in every judicial district in Iowa.
- Goal 2: Collaborate with key entities to support evidence-base practices.
- Goal 3: Advocate for further research that addresses gender, race and mental health/substance abuse/brain development to increase the research base.
- **B.** Priority Two: Gender Equity
 - Goal 1: Strengthen, through collaboration, the continuum of care for females involved in the juvenile justice system.
- C. Priority Three: Disproportionate Minority Contact
 - Goal 1: Reduce Disproportionate Minority Contact at front end juvenile justice system processes.
- D. Priority Four: Mental Health, Substance Abuse and Brain Development
 - Goal 1: Ensure that the Priority Areas of the Juvenile Justice Advisory Council recognize and address the role of mental health, substance abuse, and brain development within the juvenile justice system.
- E. Priority Five: Compliance Monitoring and Research
 - Goal 1: Maintain Iowa's compliance with the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act's core requirements of Deinstitutionalization of Status Offenders, sight & sound separation and jail removal.
 - Goal 2: To provide research on juvenile justice issues to support priority areas of three-year plan and juvenile justice grants received by the Division of Criminal and Juvenile Justice Planning.
- IX. Unfinished Business
- X. New Business
- XI. Adjourn

Next Meeting - Thursday, September 3rd, 2015, Polk County River Place